

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Civil Supplies Dept. – Allegations of corruption against Sri M.Balaram, formerly Sr.Checking Inspector, Circle-IX, Hyderabad – Trapped by the ACB Officials – Prosecution ordered – Charge sheet filed – Convicted in the Court of Prl.Spl.Judge for SPE & ACB Cases, Hyderabad – Dismissed from Government Service – Appeal filed before the Hon'ble High Court of A.P. – Acquitted by the Hon'ble High Court of A.P. – Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

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CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & CIVIL SUPPLIES (VS) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.39

Dated:29-03-2014  
Read the following-

1. From the Chief Rationing Officer, Hyd Procdgs.No.290/1993, In Lr.No,8032/93, Dt.16.12.1993.
2. G.O.Ms.No.342, FCS(CS.II) Dept. dt.11.08.1974.
3. From the Chief Rationing Officer, Hyd. Procdgs.No.16/1997, Dt.25.01.1997.
4. From the Spl.Judge for SPE & ACB cases, Hyd. pronounced judgement dt.30.6.2005.
5. From the Chief Rationing Officer, Hyd Procdgs.No.289/2005 in Lr.No.A1/8032/93, dt.20.8.2005..
6. Judgment delivered by the Prl.Spl.Judge for SPE & ACB cases, Hyd. dt,25.7.2012 forwarded by the DG, ACB Lr.No.135/RCT-CR-2/1993, dt.11.12.2012.
7. Representation from Sri M.Balaram, Sr. Checking Inspector (Dismissed) dt.19.10.2012.

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ORDER:

In reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, Sri M.Balaram, formerly Sr.Checking Inspector, Circle-IX, Hyderabad was placed under suspension by the Chief Rationing Officer, A.P. Hyderabad as the accused officer was trapped and caught red handed for accepting illegal gratification of Rs.300/- on 04.01.2002.

2. In the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, sanction was been accorded for prosecuting Sri M.Balaram, formerly Sr.Checking Inspector, Circle-IX, Hyderabad in a court of law on the above said allegation. A case in registered in Cr.No.17/ACB-CR/93 under section 7 and 11 of P.C.Act. In the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, orders were issued revoking the suspension of the Accused Officer pending Criminal case. His date of superannuation is 31-08-2009.

3. In the reference 4<sup>th</sup> read above, the Hon'ble Spl.Judge for SPE & ACB cases Hyderebad has pronounced judgment on 30.6.2005 convicting the accused officer Sri M.Balaram, formerly Sr.Checking Inspector, Circle-IX, Hyderabad and sentencing him to undergo rigorous imprisonment for one year and to pay a fine of Rs.1000/- for the offence punishable under Sect.7 of the PC Act, 1988 and in default of payment fine to suffer simple imprisonment for three months. The Prl.Spl.Judge also sentenced the accused Officer Sri M.Balaram to undergo rigorous imprisonment for two years for the charge under Sec.13 (1) (d) of the Act. Punishable under Sec.13(2) of the Act and also to pay a fine of Rs.2,000/- and in default, to undergo simple imprisonment for 6 months and that both the substantive sentence of imprisonments shall run concurrently.

4. Based on the judgment by the Hon'ble Spl.Judge for SPE & ACB cases Hyderebad, Sri M.Balaram, formerly Sr.Checking Inspector, Circle-IX, Hyderabad was dismissed from service vide reference 5<sup>th</sup> read above.. Aggrieved by the orders of the conviction, Sri M.Balaram, formerly Sr.Checking Inspector, Circle-IX, Hyd. has filed a Criminal Appeal before Hon'ble High Court.

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5. In the reference 6<sup>th</sup> read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad submitted has reported that the Pri.Spl.Judge for SPE & ACB Cases, Hyderabad has pronounced the judgment dt.25.7.2012 against their conviction of Sri M.Balaram and A2 Sri M.Anand, Private person in CCNo.10 of 1995, which the applicants are entitled for benefits of doubt and the conviction and sentence passed against them by the Trail Court have to be set aside. Accordingly, they are set aside and the applicant s are acquitted. He has also informed that there are no grounds to file SLP in the Supreme Court against the judgment passed by the High Court of A.P. in Crl.Apple No.1090/2005.

6. In the reference 7<sup>th</sup> read above, Sri M.Balaram, formerly Sr.Checking Inspector, Circle-IX, Hyderabad submitted a representation to the Government and requested to drop further action against him and to treat the period of suspension as on duty and release pensionary benefits.

7. After careful examination of the matter in consultation with the appropriate authority, Government hereby decide to drop further action against Sri M.Balaram, formerly Sr.Checking Inspector, Circle-IX, Hyderabad, as he was acquitted by the Hon'ble High Court of A.P. in C.C.No.10/1995.

8. Accordingly, Government is hereby order that further action against Sri M.Balaram, formerly Sr.Checking Inspector, Circle-IX, Hyderabad be dropped.

9. The Government hereby further ordered that the suspension period and the period under dismissal till his retirement be treated as " not on duty " as per FR-54-B (7) and be converted in to leave of any kind to which he is eligible if he desires so, and the leave sanctioned be counted for the purpose of notional increments and pension under the proviso to sub-rule – 7 of FR(B) (7) and G.O.Ms.No.307 Fin.(FR.II) Dept. dt.3.12.2002.

10 The Commissioner of Civil Supplies, A.P. Hyderabad and the Chief Rationing Officer, Hyderabad shall take necessary further action accordingly.

11. The above order issues with the concurrence of the Finance (FR.II) Department vide U.O.No.8012/241/FR.II/13, dt.28.3.2013.

(BY ORDER IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

SUNIL SHARMA,  
E.O.SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
Sri M.Balaram, formerly Sr..Checking Inspector.  
Circle-IX, Hyderabad.  
(Through the Commissioner Of Civil Supplies, A.P. Hyderabad.)  
The Commissioner of Civil Supplies, A.P. Hyderabad.  
The Chief Rationing Officer, A.P .Hyderabad.  
The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad.  
The Secretary, Vigilance Commissioner, A.P.V.C.  
SC/SF.

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER.